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Admiral W. S. Delany
Deputy Director
Mutual Defense Assistance Control
International Cooperation Administration
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Admiral Delany:

I was very pleased to receive the advance copy of the Eighth Battle Act Report which you sent to me early this month. This "Survey of East-West Trade in 1955," presented in unclassified form, will be particularly useful at this time in view of current Congressional and public interest in the Soviet economic offensive.

I was happy to hear of your satisfaction with CIA's intelligence support, and I have passed your note of appreciation to Mr. Gathe and his staff.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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Per DCI request - [] said he would have a copy of the report sent to the OAD/P. [] 22 Oct

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Think we can
return report
to DAD//

Pls note my
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J.
DCI wants to
see that a copy of
this report gets
into DD/P hands.